

XM Radio, ... is great.

I urge you to allow them to provide Instant Traffic & Weather. Why? I am on the road all of the time, as so many other XM Radio listeners are. Most stations have tons of advertising, and traffic and/or weather are simply a side point to their overall broadcast. It's amazing to be anywhere, literally, and be able to tune in "Traffic &/or Weather" for where I'm either at and/or going, in an instant - now! In my busy life, I don't have 45 minutes to wait for the traffic break, or weather update.

XM is an awesome company, I listen to XM all of the time where I can dictate what I want to listen to vs. being slammed with commercials and music that's for the masses.

Please reject the NAB's petition 04-160, if they're so unhappy, tell them to enhance and better their quality vs. attacking a wonderful company. Plain and simple they're afraid of losing market share to a company that expresses "free speech" better than any other, ... right now - and they're simply attacking them because they're jealous of XM's business, and business momentum!

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